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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

Applicant has previously claimed small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

A Petition for an Extension of Time for three months is enclosed.

A General Authorization Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) is enclosed.

A Terminal Disclaimer is enclosed.

No additional claim fee is required.

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